



# Naval Construction Battalion Center

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#### People

Operations Department hosted Mr. Charlie Grau, First Naval Construction Division's (1NCD's) new Maintenance Material Management (3M) System Manager, 27-28 May. Mr. Grau was briefed extensively on 3M Program implementation plans and funding while in Port Hueneme.

CAPT (Sel) Cozier presented Jim Amescua with a retirement certificate, letter and command coin during a Construction Equipment Division All Hands meeting held in his honor. Mr. Amescua's thirty plus years of civil service included a variety of jobs, and service in Union elected positions.

CDR Pickrell detached from duty as NCBCPH's Operations Officer on 27 May. His next assignment will be Public Works Center Yokosuka's as Executive Officer.

EOC(SCW) Rich Zyalla reported aboard on 15 May from NMCB 4.

Mr. Alan Schimpff was reassigned as Director, of the NITC Financial and Facilities Acquisition Management Division to replace Ms. DeLane Knight, upon on her retirement. Ms. Deborah (Debbie) Schultzel was selected as Mr. Schimpff's replacement as Director, NITC Facilities Assets Management and Seabee Readiness Support Division.

#### Innovation

On 23 May, Mr. Buck Thomas hosted CamelBak Military Representative Shawn Cullen in a forum to discuss potential fielding of their hydration units in the Naval Construction Force (NCF). The company offered to provide sample units at no cost for testing during field exercises and a test plan is being developed.

NCBCPH has been authorized funding to start the digitization process under the Native American Document Conversion Program (NADCP). Received a copy of the Performance Work Statement which describes general tasking. NCBCPH needs to provide

an Inventory Listing of the prioritized manual listing for digitization. Priority will be given to those manuals that are most often requested during a "pack-out" exercise. Also the Performance Work Statement states "All products developed under the contract shall be considered government work and shall have no license encumbrances as per the FAR."

Initiated work on next phase of Table of allowance Assessment Reporting System (TOAARS): Budget Programming Module. This element of TOAARS will be focused on using current asset information, predictive simulations, and formatted POM and program review inputs to assist NAVFAC and the Resource Sponsors with their ongoing efforts to obtain resources.

The Joint Logistics Over-the-Shore Computer Based Training Program has been completed and forwarded to N-42 and the United States Transportation Command (USTRANSCOM) for further distribution and Beta testing. The training program will be finalized in July 2003 and available on web and compact disk. This course was developed by NCBCPH N-7 and has been taught worldwide to high ranking Army and Navy personnel. This effort will save thousands of travel dollars for Army and Navy personnel.

As NAVFAC Enterprise Central Design Agency (CDA), NITC assigned senior personnel as representatives of NAVFAC interests at the Naval Network Warfare Command/NMCI sponsored Navy CDA Conference. Strategic planning and guidance was provided by senior Navy leadership with respect to deployment, modification, and certification of IT applications that are to be implemented in the NMCI network environment.

#### Client

Began installation of 3M programs and training for 31st Seabee Readiness Group (SRG) on 12 May. Program installation and training are scheduled for completion on 27 June. Completion of implementation of 3M at the SRGs is a major milestone in the conversion of the Seabees to 3M. Guam's Camp Covington will be implemented next.

Hosted a FY04/05 Beach Group Buy Conference to obtain user input on updated materiel requirements and to establish priorities for FY04 procurements. Additionally, conducted significant process training with

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end-users to help them better understand the funding/procurement cycle and enable them to provide more timely and focused input on future requirements and priorities.

Configuration Data Management (CDM):

- 20SRG: 95% of the validation data has been loaded into CDMD-OA database to reflect the true configuration of the TOA assets.
- 31SRG: installation of MICROSnap OMMS was completed by SPAWAR on 16 May 03. TOA inventory validation effort is scheduled to start 7 July 03
- Inventory validation effort at Camp Covington Guam was completed 24 May 03. Currently in the process of updating the validation data into the CDMD-OA database to reflect the true configuration.

Dennis Rice, N63 traveled to Kuwait, 12-28 May, to implement the 1NCD Communications Retrograde Plan and assist NCF Units in the accounting and packing of the communications TOA. The packing of the P25 Communications Suite was reduced in size by more than a Tri-Con by utilizing the 6 Cube Box packing plan tested with SRG R6 during the packout of the 30th NCR.

Hosted ieFACMAN client application testing conference at NITC. Received recommendation and acceptance for implementation of tested modules.

### Operations

Prepared and provided \$235K to fund a 3M task order to develop Preventive Maintenance System (PMS) documentation for 14 pieces of Civil Engineer Support Equipment (CESE).

LCDR Ciaravino continued to closely monitor Maritime Preposition Force (MPF) Constitution efforts. His "Beach Plan" has been referred to extensively by all NCF participants in the process and is continually updated.

Commenced implementation transfer of Operational Watch functions from in-house personnel to contract personnel. Commenced update and major revisions to written guidance and desk procedures for use by Operational Watch contractor staff.

Disaster recovery testing of the NAVFAC Mainframe Contingency Of Operation Plan (COOP) was performed by NITC 30 May - 5 June. The last recovery test was performed in 1997 after moving the mainframe from Port Hueneme, CA to Defense Enterprise Computing Center (DECC) Mechanicsburg, PA. The recent test consisted of restoring NAVFAC DECC-Mechanicsburg mainframe computing capability at DECC Sidell, LA from backup tapes. Select critically identified applications and processes performed exceptionally well. Lessons learned will be incorporated into the COOP and future disaster testing.